

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of misuse of the public trust placed in broadcasters, who receive their bandwidth free of charge from the government.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest.

Sinclair's actions demonstrate that stronger rules and action by the FCC are necessary.

A world in which the owners of the television networks use their freely provided government bandwidth to ensure the election of one candidate (especially when that candidate is the incumbent) smacks strongly of George Orwell's 1984, and is a world that I never thought I would see apply in the United States of America.

Please do something to stop this.